

#### THE RIGHT HONORABLE, THE LORD

MATOR OF THE CITTY OF LONDON, IND TO THE RIGHT WORSHIPFVL ALDERMEN

of the same, Thomas Morley Gent. of her Maiesties Chappell, wisheth long health and felicitie.



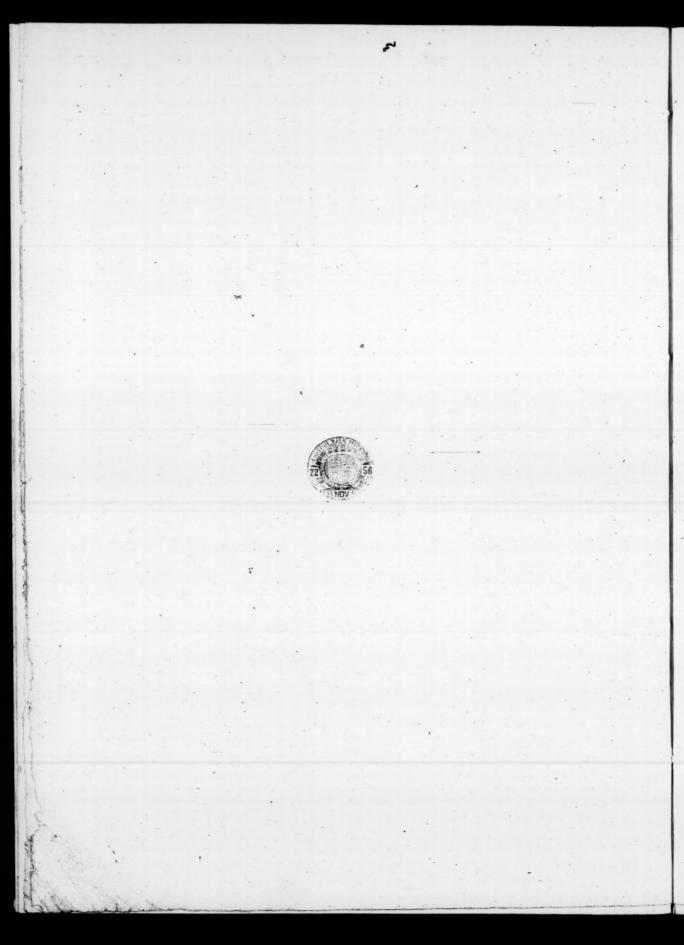
Am bolde to present unto your good Lordship, with the right worshipfull Alder men your assistants in the government of this noble Citty, some sew fruites of perfection of the most perfect men in their quality, that in the censure of many which can well judge in Musicke, have beene, and are at this day held very rare and excellent, both for their skill and practise: whose works that I might not abase in devoting them to a meane patron, nor abuse the workers in ioyning them discordes for their true descant, I chose your Lordships vertue with the rest, to grace their deserts with your gracious fauours: and not to disgrace my care and trauaile,

which at the instant request of my very good friend have beene very carefull truly to set them out . The Songs are not many least too great plenty should breede a scarcenes of liking: they be not all of one kinde, because mens fansies seeke after variety: they bee not curious, for that men may by diligence make vse of them: and the exquifite Musician may adde in the handling of them to his greater commendation. They be set for divers Instruments: to the ende that whose skill or liking regardeth not the one, may attempt some other. This pain is past in hope to procure your Lordships pleasure and recreation: and your Honorable acceptance shall be a sufficient warrant that my time is well sent: for I desire not to satisfie bablers, which are baser then brute beasts in reprouing excellencie, never attaine to the first degree of any commendable Science or misterie. But as the ancient custome is of this most honorable and renowned Cittie hath beene euer storetaine and maint ane excellent and expert Musicians, to adorne your Honors fauors, Feasts and solemne meetings: to those your Lordships Waits, after the commending these my labors to your Honorable patronage: I recommend the same to your servants carefull and skilfull handling: that the wants of exquisite harmony apparent being left unsupplied, for breuitie of Proportions, may be excused by their melodious additions, purposing hereafter to give them more testimonie of my love towards them. Thus as with my protested dutiful endeuor and obsequie I begun to your Honor and the right worshipfull Brethren: so with my humble petitions to the Almightie for your prosperous preservations, I end.

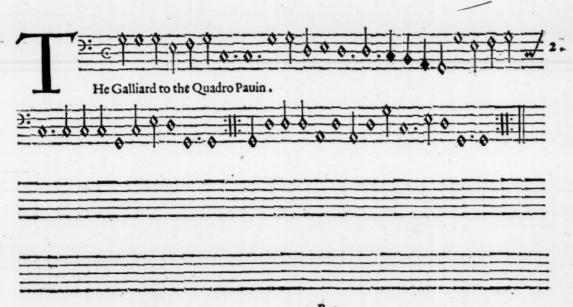
Your Honors in all duty

and humility

THOMAS MORLEY.













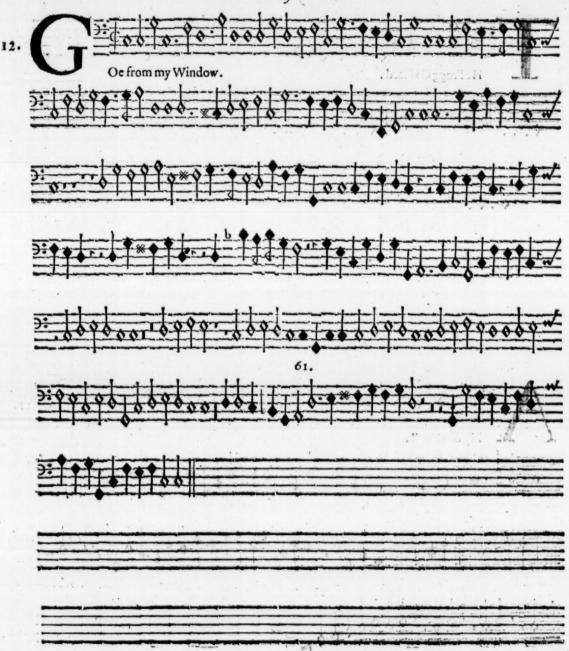






















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